

RS. HOWARD GRAY ADDRESSES WOMEN

Men Make Arrangements for Citizenship School to be Held in September.

Mrs. Howard Gray, of Joplin, district chairman of the League of Women Voters addressed the members of the local league at the city hall, day afternoon.

Mrs. Gray urged the women to prepare themselves for full citizenship which is sure to be theirs and to support the League of Women Voters, which has for its object educational legislative work to secure proper governing women and children. Mrs. Gray said that in some states there were no child labor laws, some in which the mother was not legal guardian of her child, some in which there was not compulsory education. The League favors divorce laws in order that a marriage legally performed in one state cannot be illegal by the laws of another state to which the couple go. Better educational laws are receiving the attention of the nation.

The League of Women Voters is organized in order to carry out campaigns for these humanitarian and national movements. The League is non-partisan, in spite of the reputation spread by its enemies that it is partisan. Each league is officered by men equally divided between the two political parties.

The local dues are small and a dues book is sent to the state and national headquarters to maintain lobbyists at the state of government and to pay a salary and two stenographers. Speakers sent to the different leagues ask only that their expenses be paid.

The League districts compare with Congressional districts, the local league being in the Fifteenth district which consists of seven counties.

Mrs. Gray urged that a citizenship school be held as soon as possible, as women have much to learn if they are intelligently.

The chairman, Mrs. M. J. Hale, appointed a committee to secure speakers and arrange for dates for a three day school.

They expect to secure one of the finest women of the state to conduct school and to secure men or women wide reputation to speak in connection. One day's instruction will be given to the proper use of the ballot. Both men and women are invited to attend the school.

The local League now has forty members and Mrs. Gray said that a group of this size should not stop with a hundred. It is believed that the citizenship school will stimulate interest and that the membership will be increased.

Mrs. Gray was a very pleasant speaker and the local League will be glad to have her make another visit.

ILROAD MEN HOLD SMOKER

On the evening of August 13th, several employees of the Frisco, and ends of W. T. Clark, Foreman of the Department, assembled at Mr. Clark's home on Central Avenue to enjoy the evening in smoking, refreshments, story telling and music. Several actions were rendered by the Carpenters' Male Quartet which was enjoyed by all present.

The smoker was given by friends of Mr. Clark, who is being promoted to another point, as a mark of showing him their appreciation of the many favors shown to all coming in contact with him during his stay in Monett.

At a late hour the party adjourned, the man expressing his regrets of leaving Mr. Clark, but wishing him the best of success in his new position. Among those present were: E. E. Guire, R. G. Kaufman, T. M. McEllen, P. H. Bear, C. T. Cutter, F. Blake, G. W. Etter, W. E. Smiley, L. Hobbs, J. E. Terry, B. L. Vaughn, E. Vaughn, A. E. Bunnell, L. E. relay, O. G. Marshall, E. L. Reese, M. Hagan, C. S. Pilkenton, J. F. Ober, F. E. Bowen, Peter Frandsen.

J. L. King made a business trip to Joplin, Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. LeFurjah and little son, Sarcocine, visited relatives here, day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Morgan were business visitors in Springfield, Friday.

R. M. Callaway has gone to St. Louis on a buying trip for the furniture store.

Mrs. S. G. Bouldin and granddaughter, Gertrude Thompson are visiting inwego, Kas.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hagler returned to their home at Picher, Okla., Friday night after a visit with relatives in Monett and Purdy.

Misses Ruth and Charlotte Brad returned home, Saturday morning, from Essex, Mo., where they had been visiting for a month.

PARKER FUNERAL HELD FRIDAY MORNING

Springfield, August, 12.—The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. E. Darrell Parker arrived in Springfield yesterday morning from Hollister accompanied by young Parker's parents and other relatives. The young man and his wife were both drowned Wednesday noon in Lake Taneycomo when the boat in which they were riding capsized.

Following the arrival of the bodies here the body of E. Darrell Parker was taken charge of by the Sills-Stockton Undertaking company and the body of Mrs. Louise Parker was removed to the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Bixey, 755 West Scott street.

E. Darrell Parker was 22 years old and lived in Monett where he was employed by the Frisco railroad as an electrician. Dr. and Mrs. John M. Carter of Detroit, Michigan, and Dr. and Mrs. Ferguson of Monett and the young man's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Parker, accompanied the bodies here from Hollister. Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Ferguson were sisters of young Parker. The family was holding a family reunion and enjoying a week's outing on Lake Taneycomo when the couple were drowned.

Louise Albion Bixey Parker, wife of E. Darrell Parker, was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall C. Bixey, 755 West Scott street. She was born Dec. 9, 1900, at Fayetteville, Ark., but has lived since her infancy in Springfield. She attended Loretto academy and was one of the most popular young ladies of the younger set.

She was married to E. Darrell Parker February 8, 1919. Soon after the wedding they moved to Monett. Previous to her marriage she was connected with the Southwestern Bell Telephone company.

Mr. and Mrs. Bixey, parents of the deceased are members of two of the oldest and most highly respected families of Fayetteville. Mrs. Bixey, before her marriage, was Miss Fannie Davenport and is a graduate of the University of Arkansas. Marshall Bixey is a widely known traveling salesman in Missouri and Arkansas for the Springfield Grocery company. They have resided in Springfield for over twenty years.

The bereaved parents have received many telegrams of condolence from their wide circle of friends in Oklahoma, Missouri and Arkansas. Relatives from these states are here to attend the double funeral which will be held from the First Presbyterian church at 10 o'clock this morning, followed by interment in Maple Park.

GRADUATE HEARS CALL OF SCHOOL

"I seemed to hear a call back to school again—a call that brought up scenes as they happened when I was there." Thus writes one of the loyal graduates of the Monett High School in a letter to Superintendent Guy H. Capps, commenting on the booklet that was issued a few days ago advertising the school. The letter continues:

"From all indications I believe that this booklet will wield a great influence over the parents and students of the Monett district and the surrounding community and even the old graduates. After going over the facts of the booklet carefully I felt a very intense interest develop within myself which I have never experienced before. I feel like I should enroll this term, because I am certain that one most successful years will be finished right in M. H. S. this school year. I am hoping that you will have one big success."

Mrs. Winford Thomas, of Jasper, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Ferguson.

W. F. Durnell arrived home Saturday morning from a buying trip to St. Louis, Chicago and New York.

Mrs. Ed Hogan returned home, Friday morning, from a visit with friends and relatives at Toledo, Ohio.

Dr. M. L. Ingram who has been out of the city for several weeks, has returned and will be at his office regularly.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ezell and Jay Ezell, returned home Saturday morning from a weeks visit with relatives at Lexington, Mo.

Mrs. Anna Ayers, Mrs. E. E. Conrey and children are expected from Harrison, Ark., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Frederick.

Miss Maggie Davis, who lives northwest of town, was in this week to make arrangements to enter the Monett High school this year. She has been a student in the Peirce City High school for the last three years.

Dr. W. C. Templeton, a former pastor of the Presbyterian church, visited in Monett Thursday with his friend, Dr. C. T. Dusenbury, and family. He was enroute home from Illinois where he visited relatives. He departed in the evening for his home at Winfield, Kans.

NEW EQUIPMENT FOR FOOTBALL TEAM

Monett High Will Bid For Football Championship in Season of 1920 with Engleman.

One hundred thirty dollars worth of new equipment for the football team has recently been ordered by the management of the Monett High School. When the boys of the purple and gold team of 1920 make their appearance on the gridiron early in September, they will be one of the best equipped teams in the southwest.

With a strong nucleus formed of last year's letter men who will return led by Milton Reynaud, the newly-elected captain, who was quarterback on the 1919 team under the superior coaching of Professor Finis E. Engleman, there are bright prospects for a championship team here this year.

In addition to Captain Reynaud the following boys who won their football "M" in 1919 will return this year: Walter Reynaud, Burl Henderson, Raymond Fly, Cecil Long, Oliver Young and Cyril Kehres. Several of last year's second-strong men will be strong competitors for first-team positions this year. Among them are Alfred Richardson, Harold Johnston, Homer Counts, Paul Wilson, Durward Gooch, Otto Boss, Carroll Donlavy, Vernon Chumley and Earl McCubbin. A number of promising new men are expected to be out in suits when school opens, among them men who played last year at Verona and Peirce City.

Professor Engleman, the principal of the local High School, who will coach the team again this year, is regarded as one of the best coaches in the state. It was only after persistent effort that the school authorities were able to retain him in Monett. He has recently been offered the principalship of the high school at Webb City, also the position of athletic coach in Christian University at Canton, Missouri.

The football team of the Monett High school last year was one of the strongest if indeed not the best in Southwest Missouri. The team was composed largely of inexperienced players, and got started late. Under Coach Engleman's tutelage, however, they improved rapidly and steadily, and after they "hit their stride," they were never defeated. During the last seven games, which were played against Springfield, Neosho, Wheaton, Aurora, Carthage, Webb City, and Columbus, Kansas, the team was scored on only twice, making a total of 252 points to their opponents' 12.

All the athletic activities of the Monett High school are of the clean, wholesome, manly type. They are not only of benefit to the students as individuals but serve as one means of welding the student body together in a united whole and of developing a good school spirit. Students are encouraged by the faculty and the Board of Education to enter athletics not merely for what satisfaction they may give in winning games, but that their bodies may be developed, their minds made more alert, and their moral fiber strengthened.

MARRIED BY JUDGE HOBBS

Miss Ozella Brackin and Robert M. Martin, both of Shamrock, Okla., were married at 7 o'clock Friday evening by Judge J. L. Hobbs, at his office. The witnesses were Joe A. Jackson, deputy sheriff, and Floyd Callaway.

The couple came to Monett yesterday morning, thinking Monett was the county seat, and being unable to obtain license here Judge Hobbs sent to Cassville and it arrived on the evening train.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin departed on a later train for their home at Shamrock.

Mrs. Arthur Suttles, of Joplin, came this morning to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Worm went to Springfield, Saturday, on a business trip.

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INDUSTRIAL TRANSPORTATION CO'S REPRESENTATIVES HERE

D. W. Moore and L. B. Ewing, financial representatives of the Industrial Transportation Company are in this vicinity for the purpose of interesting the farmers and citizens in the establishment of one of their chain of stores in Monett.

Their business, as we understand it, is in the nature of a co-operative self-service grocery store and wholesale produce business. The gentlemen said the Company would buy all the produce brought to it by the farmers and would use a truck to wholesale it out to the surrounding market.

The Company has stores at Little Rock, Ark., Waco, Tex., Lonoke, Ark., Mission, Tex., Marshall, Tex., Shreveport, La., Nacogdoches, Tex., Marlin, Tex., Rogers, Ark., and many other places. Where the territory can supply it the company builds large warehouses for their produce.

In entering a town they try to get a suitable location and many times buy out some grocery business already established.

CLYDE WILSON MCCLINTOCK DIES AT ST. LOUIS

Clyde Wilson McClintock, at one time making a run out of Monett on the Frisco, died at St. Louis, August 11, at the home of his mother, Mrs. Kate McClintock, who is well known in this locality, having been a teacher in the Peirce City schools for more than 20 years.

Mr. McClintock and his mother have made their home in St. Louis for the past six years, where she is a teacher in the city schools. It was while discharging his duties a few years ago that he met with an accident from which he never fully recovered and which finally resulted in his death.

Funeral services were conducted from the home of R. F. George, an uncle, at Peirce City, Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, the services being conducted by Rev. F. M. Price. Interment was made in the Peirce City cemetery.

Miss Ruth Breese spent Saturday with friends in Springfield.

CASSVILLE WINS SECOND GAME

Score is 2 to 3 in Favor of County Seat in Last Reunion Game. Return Games Sep. 5 and 6.

The Cassville team defeated the Monett Midgets in the last game at the Reunion, Friday by a score of 3 to 2.

Cassville presents the strongest line-up they have had this year having fast semi-professional ball players from all over this section of the country. Holt a star of the old Sarcocine nine, did the receiving for Cassville. Following is the score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Monett	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	1	
Cassville	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	x	3	7	4	

Batteries—Monett, Bridges and Garrison; Cassville, Rayle and Holt.

Summary—2 base hits, Rayle, Stout Chambers, Holt 2, Double plays, Ptak

MRS. CLARENCE SMITH DEAD

Mrs. Gladys Smith, young wife of Clarence Smith, died Saturday morning at the home of her father, Clinton Bolton, residing south of Verona. Tuberculosis was the cause of her death.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were married two years ago and they moved to Pola, Mo., where they made their home. On account of the failing health of Mrs. Smith they returned four weeks ago to the home of her father.

to Squibb. Struckout by Bridges 3, by Rayle 9. Base on balls of Rayle 2. Hit by pitched ball by Bridges 2.

Cassville will play here September 5 and 6.

The Monett Midgets will journey to Republic tomorrow for a game with the Republic team. They will make the trip in cars and will leave here about 11 o'clock.

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